#### **GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH**

## **ABSTRACT**

Public Servants – Irrigation and C.A.D. Department – Sri. K. Sundara Ramaiah, the then Executive Engineer, SSLC & SC Division-1, Nellore (now retired) - Departmental action under Rule 20 of A.P.C.S. (CC & A) Rules, 1991 - Initiated – Further action dropped – Orders – Issued.

# IRRIGATION & C.A.D. (SERVICES-VI-2) DEPARTMENT

## G.O.Rt.No. 695

Dated:08.07.2011. Read the following:-

1) From the Director General, Anti Corruption Bureau, Hyderabad, Lr.No.22/RCA-NNL/2003, dated 18.05.2006.

- 2) G.O.Rt.No.1530, Irrigation and C.A.D. (Ser.VI) Department, dated 16.11.2006.
- 3) From Sri. K. Sundara Ramaiah, E.E., SSLC & SB Division No.4, Gudur, Nellore district, dated 30.11.2006.
- 4) G.O.Rt.No.341, Irrigation and C.A.D. (Ser.VI) Department, dated 26.03.2007.
- 5) G.O.Rt.No.659, Irrigation and C.A.D. (Ser.VI) Department, dated 14.06.2007.
- 6) From Sri. K. Sundara Ramaiah, Executive Engineer, SSLC & SB Division-4, Gudur, Nellore district written statement of defence, dated 14.08.2007.
- 7) G.O.Rt.No.335, Irrigation and C.A.D. (Ser.VI) Department, dated 27.03.2010.
- 8) From the Superintending Engineer, SSLC & SB Circle, Nellore & Inquiring Authority, Lr.No.SE/SSLC&SBC/NLR/AB/A.1/C.15/8C, dated 05.03.2011.

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Whereas, it came to the notice of the Government that a case was registered against Sri. R. Venkaiah, formerly Deputy Executive Engineer, Q.C. SSLC (TGP) Kottur, Nellore district for possessing assets disproportionate to known sources of income by the Investigation Agency. During the course of investigation, prima-facie was found by the Investigating Agency that Sri K. Sundara Ramaiah, the then Executive Engineer, S.S.L.C. & S.C. Division-1, Nellore, who was subsequently working as Executive Engineer, SSLC & SB Division No.4, Gudur had colluded with the Accused Officer and instigated two Junior Assistants to tamper the records with an intention to help the Accused Officer Sri. R. Venkaiah. The Investigating Agency, therefore, requested the Government to initiate action against Sri. K. Sundara Ramaiah, the then Executive Engineer, S.S.L.C. & S.C. Division No.1, Nellore for the above said misconduct.

- 2. In the G.O. 2<sup>nd</sup> read above, orders were issued suspending Sri. K. Sundara Ramaiah, the then Executive Engineer, SSLC & SC Division-1, Nellore, while he was working as Executive Engineer, SSLC & SB No.4, Gudur, as it was suspected that he had instigated tampering of the records by two Junior Assistants, in the Office of the Executive Engineer, SSLC & SB Division, Nellore, with an intention to help the Accused Officer, Sri. R. Venkataiah, who was involved in the disproportionate assets case.
- 3. In reference 3<sup>rd</sup> read above, Sri.K. Sundara Ramaiah pointed out that he relinquished the charge of Division on 03.11.2004 where as the property returns were received in the office in September and December, 2005, and consequently he would not be in a position to influence the Junior

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Assistants, and requested to reinstate him into service. Therefore, in reference 4<sup>th</sup> read above, orders were issued, reinstating Sri. K. Sundara Ramaiah, Executive Engineer, by revoking the suspension orders.

- 4. In reference 5<sup>th</sup> read above, disciplinary action was initiated and Articles of Charges were issued to Sri. K. Sundara Ramaiah, Executive Engineer, SSLC & S.B. Division-4, Gudur, Nellore district under rule 20 of A.P.C.S. (CC & A) Rules. 1991.
- 5. In reference 6<sup>th</sup> read above, Sri. K. Sundara Ramaiah, Executive Engineer, SSLC & SB Division-4, Gudur submitted his written statement of defence, denying charges framed against him.
- 6. In reference 7<sup>th</sup> read above, orders were issued, appointing Sri P. Ravindranath, Superintending Engineer, SSLC & SB Circle, Nellore as the Inquiring Authority to conduct departmental enquiry on the charges framed against Sri. K. Sundara Ramaiah, Executive Engineer (Retd.).
- 7. In reference 8<sup>th</sup> read above, the Inquiring Authority submitted his findings holding that the charges framed against the charged officer were not proved, as no misconduct could be attributed to Sri. K. Sundara Ramaiah, Executive Engineer (Retd.).
- 8. After careful examination of the matter, Government have decided to accept the findings of the Inquiring Authority and to drop further action against Sri. K. Sundara Ramaiah, Executive Engineer (Retd.). Accordingly, Government hereby drop further action against Sri. K. Sundara Ramaiah, Executive Engineer (Retd.).
- 9. The Engineer-in-Chief (A.W.), Irrigation and C.A.D. Department, Hyderabad shall take further action in the matter accordingly.

#### (BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

## SHAILENDRA KUMAR JOSHI PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

То

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Irrigation and C.A.D. Department, Hyderabad.

The Engineer-in-Chief (A.W.),

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The Director General,

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The Secretary to Vigilance Commissioner,

A.P. Vigilance Commission,

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**SECTION OFFICER**